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First Class	\$2.0.
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Hongkong, 6th April, 1882.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND FOCHOW
THE Steamship.

"KWANTUNG."
Captain Yonno, will be despatched for the above Ports TOMORROW, the 11th instant, at DAYLIGHT.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DOUGLAS LAFLRAIK & Co.
Hongkong, 8th April, 1882.

FOR HONGHAI AND PAKHOI.
THE Steamship.

"PING-ON."
Captain MacArthur, will be despatched for the above Ports TOMORROW, the 11th inst. at DAYLIGHT.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, 8th April, 1882.

FOR AMOY, TAMSUI AND TAIWAN
THE Steamship.

"ALBAT."
Captain Lightwood, will be despatched for the above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 12th inst. at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DOUGLAS LAFLRAIK & Co.
Hongkong, 10th April, 1882.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO (DIRECT).
THE Steamship.

"STRATHAIR."
Captain Fenwick, will be despatched on about the 13th instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
NICHOLSON & Co.,
Agents for Charterers
Hongkong, 8th April, 1882.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION
COMPANY LIMITED.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, AND
CALCUTTA.
THE Company's Chartered Steamer.

"LENNOX."
Captain David Scott, will be despatched for the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 15th inst. at THREE P.M.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
NICHOLSON & Co.
General Managers.
Hongkong, 8th April, 1882.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND
CALCUTTA
THE Steamship.

"JAPAN."
Captain T. S. Gardiner, will be despatched for the above Ports, on SATURDAY, the 15th inst. at THREE P.M.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.
Agents.
Hongkong 10th April, 1882.

NOTICE.

COMMENCING TO DAY (Saturday,
O 8th instant) the "CHANG" and "K
KIANG" will run as follows:-
Hongkong and Canton leaving Hongkong
A.M., and Canton at 3 P.M.
The "**FOWAN**" will run as follows:-
leaving Hongkong on **SUNDAYS, WEDNE-
SDAYS and FRIDAYS** at 6 P.M., and on
on **TUESDAYS, THURSDAYS and SATUR-**
DAYS at 5.30 P.M.

By Order,
P. A. DE COSTA,
Secretary.

Hongkong, Canton and Amoy Steam
Company, Limited.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents, China North Sea Co., Limited,
Hongkong, 8th April, 1882.

BANK HOLIDAYS.


IN accordance with Ordinance No. 1
1875, the Undermentioned Banks will
CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Bu-
ness **THIS DAY, EASTER MONDAY,**
10th Instant.

For the ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION,
GEO. O. SCOTT,
Manager, Hongkong.

**For the CHARTERED MERCANTILE BANK OF
INDIA, LONDON AND CHINA,**
JOHN THURTELL,
Manager, Hongkong.

**For the CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, A-
FRICA, AND CHINA,**
H. J. BARNARD,
Manager, Hongkong.

For the COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTÉ DE PARIS
F. COU INARD,
Agents, Hongkong
and SHANGHAI BANKING
CORPORATION.
J. E. NOBLE,
Per Chief Manager
Hongkong, 6th April, 1883.




TENDERS will be received at this Office
for the SUPPLY OF SATURDAY, the
4th of NOVEMBER, and FIXING THE
WOOD-JALOUSIES in Twelve EXAMIN-
ACERS of the Royal Naval Hospital, at
Shanghai, according to Specification. Draw-
ings and Conditions, to be seen on application to
Undersigned.

The right to reject the lowest or any Tenders
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E. B. JOREY,
Natal Storekeeper.

H. M. Navez, Xam,
Hongkong, 6th April, 1883.



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of 1,600 tons of TAKASIMA COAL, deliverable at the Naval Coal Depot, Korbun, accordance with the conditions on the printed Tender which can be obtained on application to the Naval Storeskeeper's Office.

The Right to reject the lowest or any Tender is reserved.

E. B. JOREY,
Naval Storeskeeper.

H. M. Naval Yard,
Hongkong, 14th March, 1882.

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FOR
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For 1892.
With which is incorporated
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of Huiphoing and Hanoi, which has hitherto been seriously hampered by two exactions of the Annamite Mandarins, will then be freed from that incubus, and the export of rice will doubtless be freely allowed. The Songkoi will be allowed to trade, and small steamers enabled to proceed as far as Mangha, from whence trade can be conducted with the borders of Yunnan without difficulty. The issue of the French expedition is not involved in doubt, consequently it must fail to arouse the excitement that attends a contest between anything like equal forces, but we shall await further intelligence of its progress with keen interest.

The Hon. E. B. Johnson was a passenger by the *Thos. For* on Friday.

The P. & O. steamer *Gentle*, with the next English mail, left Singapore for Hongkong on Friday, the 7th inst., at 9 a.m.

The Singapore Times says: A number of deaths reported from cholera in Malacca during the month of March was about one hundred.

We are informed by the Agents (Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co.) that the steamer *Glennah* left Singapore for this port on Saturday morning.

The Messageries Maritimes steamer *Duquesne*, with the next French mail, passed Cap St. James at 8 p.m. on Thursday en route for Hongkong.

General Donovan and Mrs. Donovan are at present guests at Government House. We hear that they intend leaving for home by the next English mail.

From a return in the *Gazette* it appears the stamp revenue for the first quarter of the present year amounted to \$41,737, being an increase of \$6,584 on the amount collected during the same period of 1891.

The Spanish frigate *Doña Maria de Molins*, Captain Oller, arrived yesterday afternoon from Manila, where she had been on a cruise.

It is notified in the *Gazette* that His Excellency the Administrator has been pleased to recognize provisionally and until further notice, Mr. H. C. Mearns as in charge of the Royal Danish Consulate at this port, in the absence of Mr. Mearns.

Says the *Amoy Gazette* of the 1st inst.—We note the departure of the *Amoy* steamer *Amoy*, Captain Oller, for Hongkong, on the 1st inst.

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THE FRENCH EXPEDITION TO TONKIN.
[FROM A CORRESPONDENT.]
HONGKONG, 2nd April, 1892.
An event of some importance has occurred to break the usual dullness prevailing here. Yesterday morning at two o'clock the French transport *Le Dece* arrived from Saigon with 265 troops and officers, consisting of Infantry, Artillery, and Marine, amongst them twenty men of the newly formed Annamite Corps at Saigon. The Artillery, I hear, have six 12-pounder field pieces with the necessary equipment of men.

The Commissaire here at once engaged all the river steamers that were in port, namely, the *Whampoa*, the *Tongkai*, the *Kiangnan*, and the *Hanoi*, which had to take on board the troops, guns, cartridges, baggage, &c. The *Hanoi* left last night at 8 o'clock, under the orders of the Commandant, in the following order, for Hanoi:—

Whampoa, French flag, with the guns and 40 men.
Tongkai, Chinese flag, with 60 men.
Kiangnan, Chinese flag, with 60 men.
Hanoi, French flag, with 100 men.

Each steamer to preserve a distance from the other of 300 metres, so that they might arrive at the same time at Hanoi, where they are to make a *camp de bataille*, land the troops, and take the *offensive*.

What next will happen nobody knows, but more troops are expected daily, and I feel little doubt that the *Reynaud* de Tonkin will be sent here, and that intense excitement prevails in this place.

POLICE COURT.
8th April.
Before CAPT. H. G. THOMSON, R.N.

UNLAWFUL POSSESSION.
Lam Sing, respondent, was charged with having been unlawfully possessed of a piece of stolen wood valued 30 cents on the 7th inst. He was fined \$1, or in default seven days' imprisonment.

MAXWELL AGAIN.
Joseph Maxwell, compositor, was again before the court yesterday on a charge of being drunk in the street on the 7th inst.

Maxwell has been in the court on several previous occasions. After a sober interval of some time, he was again before the court yesterday on a charge of being drunk in the street on the 7th inst.

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